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SUBJ: GENERAL AVIATION OPERATIONS INSPECTOR'S HANDBOOK

1. PURPOSE. This change revises and updates information and incorporates published handbook bulletin HBGA 99-04, Limitations on the Use of a Congested Area Plan under 14 CFR Part 133, into chapter 102.

2. DISTRIBUTION. This change is distributed to all addresses on special distribution list ZFS-870. An electronic message will be disseminated to Flight Standards employees (principally to aviation safety inspectors, which this change affects) to indicate when this change is electronically published, which chapters are affected, and which bulletins are incorporated and will provide the Universal Resource Locator (URL): <<http://www.faa.gov/avr/afs/faa/8700/8700.html>>. (There will be simultaneous electronic publication on the appropriate FAA Intranet site.) The public, industry groups, and other DOT/FAA offices can also access the updated chapters at this URL.

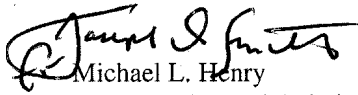
3. EXPLANATION OF CHANGES. This change to the 8700.1 handbook uses change bars to indicate updates and additional statements to clarify existing policies. Paragraph numbering changes or reference changes of FAR to 14 CFR are not signified by change bars. Filled out samples of Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) forms are replaced only for visual clarity. Changes to these chapters are updates to: terminology used to clarify existing policy, paragraph numbering to follow a sequential pattern, paragraph formatting, and clerical changes. Changes also include the incorporation of a Flight Standards handbook bulletin for General Aviation and Commercial Division (HBGA). Existing policies and regulations remain unaffected with this change. A list of acronyms is added to this change as Appendix 1.

- a. **Chapter 34,** Accept/Approve Flight Training Devices and Certain Other Devices Previously Authorized for Use.
- b. **Chapter 52,** Issue a Certificate of Waiver for Motion Picture and Television Filming.
- c. **Chapter 53,** Surveillance of a Motion Picture and Television Filming Production Event.
- d. **Chapter 96,** Introduction to Part 133 Related Tasks.
- e. **Chapter 97,** Conduct Initial Certification/Renewal of a Part 133 Operator.
- f. **Chapter 98,** Evaluate a Rotorcraft-Load Combination Flight Manual (RLCFM).
- g. **Chapter 101,** Conduct a Part 133 Base Inspection.
- h. **Chapter 102,** Evaluate a Part 133 Congested Area Plan (CAP).
- i. **Chapter 103,** Monitor a Part 133 Congested Area Operation.
- j. **Chapter 180,** Introduction to Investigation and Compliance Related Tasks.
- k. **Appendix 1,** Acronyms and Abbreviations.
- j. **Index,** Comprehensive Index (previously Appendix 1).

4. DISPOSITION OF TRANSMITTAL. This transmittal is to be RETAINED AND FILED IN THE BACK OF THIS HANDBOOK until it is superseded by a new basic order.

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